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Dear Friends:

As I write this, election day fast approaches. On Tuesday, November 3, voters in the City of Tucson will decide who will serve as Mayor and Councilmember's for Ward's 1, 2 and 4, as well as four ballot measures. In addition, Tucson voters, as well as voters in Pima County will consider seven bond measures.



There are also school district override questions for voters within the respective school districts to consider as well. There are also charter measures for consideration. One proposal would give the Mayor and "full voice and vote," counting towards a quorum and able to vote on hiring and firing all department directors which require a vote. The second proposal would remove the Civil Service status for Department Directors and serve as "at will" employees.

There is also a proposal on the ballot from the City of Tucson Commission on Salaries and Compensation, a Charter mandated committee formed to review the salaries for the Mayor and Council. This commission is appointed by the City Manager's office and reviews the salary of City elected officials every two years. They voted to place a measure on the November ballot for voters to consider giving the Mayor and Council a pay raise of 15%. The Mayor and Council has no control over this committee and had expressed their reservations about putting any measure dealing with their salary on this year's ballot, especially during these tough economic times.

In addition, Pima County has seven bond measures on this ballot and will be run as a consolidated election. I recommend approval of these proposals as they will improve the quality of life for residents of Ward 5.

Proposition 425 is titled "Road and Highway Improvements." There are two projects of note for Ward 5 in Proposition 425.

The Road Repair and Pavement Preservation Program is first, if approved by voters, the City of Tucson would receive more than \$65 million to fund the repair and preservation of roads within City limits. This \$65 million would be in addition to the funds now being used for road



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repair and preservation under Proposition 409, approved by Tucson voters in 2012.

The additional roads in Ward 5 that would be worked on, if Proposition 425 is approved, include: 4th Avenue (Broadway to 22nd), 6th Avenue (Benson Highway to Ajo and 18th to 23rd Streets), Bilby (Park to Del Moral), Eastland (Campbell to Del Moral), Elvira (Plumer to Palo Verde), Kino Blvd. (Broadway to Aviation), Nebraska St./Olive St. (Connecticut to Nogales Highway), Palo Verde (Valencia to Corona), Park Avenue (18th Street to 36th Street and University to 14th Street), Silverlake (6th Avenue to Kino Parkway), Tucson Blvd. (Mabel to 22nd Street), Wilmot (Valencia to Los Reales).

The Sonoran Corridor Highway is the other Ward 5 project in Proposition 425, with a proposed bond of \$30 million dollars. For development of a phase of an interstate highway between Interstate 19 and Interstate 10 (located by Raytheon in Ward 5) to shorten travel time, facilitate the expansion of manufacturing and high tech jobs and to support the emergence of a major southwest logistics center.

Proposition 426 is titled “Economic Development, Libraries and Workforce Training.” There are two projects of note for Ward 5 in Proposition 426.

There is a \$20 million dollar proposal for an “Innovation and Technology Building” to be constructed at the University of Arizona Tech Park located at Kino and 36th Street in Ward 5. The Innovation Building will be a multi-tenant building of 180,000 square feet, with 60% dedicated to office space and 40% dedicated to laboratory space. The building will be designed for maximum flexibility to accommodate a wide range of technology companies from start-ups to mature companies.



Also in Proposition 426 is a \$3.175 million dollar proposal for the South 12th Avenue Culinary and Cultural Corridor. The South 12th Avenue Cultural and Culinary Corridor project will improve safety, walkability, and aesthetics in a commercial district that celebrates the region’s distinctive Mexican American heritage. The improvements will spur further private investment in this commercial corridor; increase cultural and culinary tourism; and improve conditions for the tens of thousands of pedestrians, bicyclists, transit users, and motorists who use the corridor every day.

Proposition 428 is titled as “Parks and Recreation,” and includes proposals for improvements, expansion, completing master plans. More than \$11 million proposed would go towards the following Parks and Recreation Centers that are located in Ward 5: 36th Street Natural Resource Park, Freedom Center (on border with Ward 4 and used by Ward 5 residents), Willie Blake Park, Quincie Douglas Center, El Pueblo Center, Silverlake Park and Kino Sports Complex.



There is also a \$12 million bond proposal titled “Regional

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Sports Fields and Lighting,” to replace lighting systems, light existing fields and new lights for newly constructed fields. Parks in Ward 5 or nearby that are listed are Rudy Garcia Park, Freedom Park and Thomas Jay Littletown Park.

In Proposition 428 is a proposal for \$250,000 to build a memorial honoring the Buffalo Soldiers who served this nation in the U.S. Army Cavalry. This would be built at the Quincie Douglas Center.

Proposition 429, titled “Public Health, Welfare, Safety, Neighborhoods and Housing,” has a proposal for an \$18 million dollar bond for the expansion of the facilities at Banner University Medical Center South Campus, located at 2800 East Ajo Way.

If the Pima County bond proposals are approved by the voters, they would have a positive impact on the lives of the good citizens of Ward 5. For more information and further details about all the seven bond proposals, go online to the 2015 Pima County Bond page at the following link: <http://webcms.pima.gov/cms/One.aspx...>

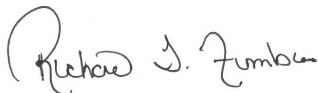
For more information about the Tucson City Election, go online to: <https://www.tucsonaz.gov/clerks/elections>.

Remember, this is a consolidated election being run by the Pima County Division of Elections. If you have received your Early Ballot and had not sent it in by mail, you can take your completed ballot, in the envelope and either drop it off at the one of the County Recorder’s offices at 240 North Stone – First Floor (Downtown), 6550 S. Country Club Road (Southside), or 6920 East Broadway Boulevard – Suite D (Eastside), before Tuesday, November 3.

On Election Day (November 3), you can take your completed ballot and drop it off at any polling place location. If you have questions, please call (520) 724-4350.

This is your time to let your voice be heard with your vote.

Peace,



Richard G. Fimbres
Your Council Member

48-Hour MASH Free Spay/Neuter Clinic a Success

The 48 Hour MASH Free Spay/Neuter Clinic held October 9 through 11, at Los Ranchitos Elementary School was a huge success!

A total of 424 dogs and 376 cats were spayed and neutered and another 350 were scheduled for free spay, neuter and vaccinations at a future time. The goal for the event was 500 animals.

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Thanks to the collaboration of the Sunnyside School District, the Ward 1 and Ward 5 Council offices, animal groups and organizations, the volunteers and most importantly, the 25 veterinarians who signed up to help, the event was a huge success and a good step to help control our pet population.

The organizers of this event were: Santa Cruz Vet Clinic, Humane Society of Southern Arizona, Dr. Karter Neal, the Sunnyside Unified School District, Pima Medical Institute (Vet Technician Program), Arizona Rangers, Arizona Bilingual, Pat Hubbard, Humane Society of Southern Arizona, Councilmember Regina Romero, myself and the Ward 1 and Ward 5 Council offices.

Organizations, local businesses and partners that provided in-kind donations, cash donations, resources and volunteers. This event would not have been possible without the donations made to help to put the free, spay/neuter clinic on.

The list of donors were the: Animal Welfare Alliance of Southern Arizona (AWASA), Ward 1 Councilmember Regina Romero, Santa Cruz Vet Clinic, Humane Society of Southern Arizona, Pima Medical Institute, U of A College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, Paterson Veterinary, MWI Veterinary Supply, R X O 2 Oxygen and Medical Supplies, Arizona Bilingual, Tucson Police Department, Pima County Sheriff's Department, Arizona Rangers, Ponderosa 105.3 FM, Spay and Neuter Solutions, Foundation for Animals In Risk (FAIR), Animal Rescue Foundation (ARF), Pima Animal Care Center, Happy Tails Pet Services, Tucson Cares, El Rio Bakery, Pat's Chile Dogs, Buffalo Wild Wings, Perfecto's Mexican Food, Circle K, Loren's Pooper Scooper Services and People for Animals In the Prevention of Cruelty and Neglect.

As one of the volunteers noted, "Several families came with their fur family member, making attendance a major event in that family's life. For many of these families with children this was an incredible teaching moment for their children, not only about the importance of responsible pet ownership, but also about the value of community service to others less fortunate, and that kindness and generosity benefit everyone."

This event was a follow up to the free rabies/parvo vaccination clinic held at the Ward 5 Council office, for which 300 dogs received vaccinations.

We are truly blessed with such a giving community here in Tucson who helped to serve this many animals.



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Ward 5 Business Update

The Mayor and Council approved the proposal for the El Rio Health Center to purchase the land at the Southwest corner of 22nd/Kino in Ward 5. Nancy Johnson, CEO of the El Rio Health Center stated that they will construct a 16,000 square foot building that will have medical, behavioral and health care services. El Rio are moving their Broadway facility to Ward 5 and will be expanding their workforce by 20 people for the bigger facility.

Assurance Health and Wellness Center, located at 3909 East Park in Ward 5 held an open house for the expansion of their operations. I want to thank Fletcher McCusker, the CEO of Assurance's parent company, Sinfonia HealthCare for the tour. The Assurance Center offers a number of sophisticated medical services including: primary care, medication monitoring, pharmacy, dental and lab in order to truly integrate traditional medical care with behavioral health. Offsite services including home health will be integrated with the Center.



Kino Parkway/22nd Street Improvement Celebration and Dedication

Officials from the City of Tucson and the Regional Transportation Authority (RTA) gathered the morning of October 2nd to celebrate the completion of the Kino Parkway – 22nd Street Intersection Improvement Project. Speakers included Tucson Mayor and RTA Board Chair Jonathan Rothschild; Tucson Council Member Richard Fimbres; Pima County Supervisor Ramón Valadez; Tucson City Manager Michael Ortega; Daryl W. Cole, Director of the Tucson Department of Transportation; Brian Andrews of The Ashton Company; and Ivo Ortiz, chairperson of the project's Citizen Advisory Committee.

The project rebuilt one of the busiest intersections in Southern Arizona with the first grade-separated intersection constructed by the City of Tucson. The elevated parkway includes bike lanes, six-foot-wide sidewalks, and a landscaped median separating two traffic lanes in each direction. Underneath it, 22nd Street was widened to three lanes in each direction, featuring exclusive right turn lanes and dual left turn lanes to access on-ramps. The \$20.6 million intersection project is part of a comprehensive, \$115 million budget to improve 22nd Street between Interstate 10 and Tucson Boulevard. The work was approved by voters in 2006 as part of the RTA plan. Funding for improving the intersection also was included in the Pima County Bond Program voters approved in 1997.



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City Interviewing Finalists for Position of Police Chief

After a nationwide search, the City of Tucson selected three finalists to interview for the position of police chief. City Manager Michael Ortega will make the final appointment pending approval of the Mayor and Council.

The City contracted with the Police Executive Research Forum (PERF) to conduct the search and assist with the three-part hiring process. PERF screened the initial applications and provided the city manager with 60 credible applicants. A competitive interview process was then used to select the finalists from the recommended applicant pool. The finalists are Malik Aziz, Rick Gregory, and Christopher Magnus.



The finalist will also have interviewed with the 15-member City Police Chief Appointment Advisory Committee at a public meeting. Separate meetings will be held with the Tucson Police Officers Association (TPOA) and Tucson Police Department command, as well as the City's executive leadership team and the Mayor and Council. Input from all three groups will be submitted to the City Manager for consideration.

Tucson Police Chief Roberto Villaseñor is scheduled to retire in December, after 35 years with the Tucson Police Department.

Police Chief candidates information: <http://1.usa.gov/1PEmvFc>

Road Repair Progressing in Tucson

Money from the voter-approved, \$100 million, five-year Road Recovery street bond program in 2012 already has improved more than 116 miles of roadway, and the work continues to improve additional streets. The bond money pays for repaving, while the bigger widening projects are funded by the Regional Transportation Authority (RTA), a 20-year program approved by voters in 2006.



Road Recovery: <http://1.usa.gov/1xdFvK>

Bond Oversight Commission Annual Report: <http://1.usa.gov/1Q8V6I9>

Ronstadt Center Development Project Questions and Answers Online

Two developers shared their proposals over the summer for the Ronstadt Transit Center Joint Development Project. Both proposals would keep the Ronstadt Center as a bus hub, while adding housing and retail spaces. Responses to questions and comments submitted to the developers are now available online. Video of the full presentations, as well as the materials presented, may be viewed at the Office of Integrated Planning website link below. A selection committee of stakeholders will make a recommendation to Mayor and Council about proceeding into the development agreement process with one

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of the teams. The committee includes bus riders, downtown neighborhoods and businesses, developers, subject matter experts, and City departments. The group will meet over the next month to discuss the proposals. During the development agreement process, there will be opportunities for more public review and comment.

Office of Integrated Planning/Ronstadt Transit Center Joint Development: <http://1.usa.gov/1e18bGV>



Automall Annexation

The Mayor and Council held the final votes, approving the last of the proposals to annex the Tucson Auto Mall. This is a big win for the businesses and the City of Tucson, which will see an additional \$2 million sales tax annually.

Comcast Beginning Construction of New Center

Comcast has begun the construction and renovations of their new facility, located at 4690 North Oracle Road. Comcast will be employing 1,125 people at a starting wage of \$15 an hour. The renovation of the building will cost \$8.5 million.

Study Finds Tucson 5th Best Warm City for Winter Holiday Travel

In anticipation of the holiday season, WalletHub analysts compared 69 of the largest metropolitan areas to find the best winter travel destinations for lovers of warm and cold weather, and Tucson ranked fifth on the warm side. The study analyzed 26 key metrics, ranging from the cost of the cheapest flight to the number of attractions in each winter vacation spot. The Las Vegas region took the top spot for warm destinations, while the Atlanta metro area earned the top ranking for cold areas.

Read the study: <http://bit.ly/1jB8jRd>

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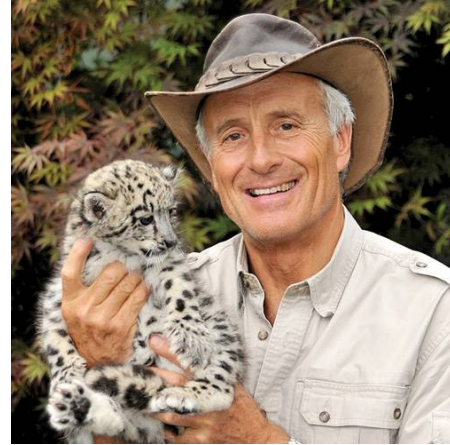
Seasonal Zoo Hours Have Changed

The Reid Park Zoo is no longer on summer hours. The Zoo is now open from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. each day (an hour later at each end). The Giraffe Encounter will take place at 10 a.m. every day, and on weekends there will be an additional feeding session at 1:30 p.m. Visit the Zoo's website for information about upcoming events. The public can call 791-4022 for directions and admission information, or visit the Zoo's website www.reidparkzoo.org.

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Jack Hanna to Bring Animals to Live Event

The Director Emeritus of the Columbus Zoo is coming to Tucson in January for "Jack Hanna's Into the Wild Live," presented in partnership with Reid Park Zoo. Tickets for the Jan. 7 show at the Fox Theatre are available at the link below. Through his two TV shows and late-night TV talk show appearances, Jack Hanna is a familiar name among wildlife lovers and the zoo community. Hanna was in Tucson last year to release bighorn sheep into the Santa Catalina Mountains and record footage at the Zoo for his TV show. At that visit, Hanna took some time out of his schedule to speak with Tucson 12 (link below) about the great work being done at Tucson's zoo, while also discussing the financial impact and quality of life that zoos bring to their communities.



Tickets for Jack Hanna at the Fox: <http://bit.ly/1YvQ0N9>

Jack Hanna's website: <http://bit.ly/1gGZ7Zg>

Reid Park Zoo Wildlife Carousel Opens

Construction is complete for an exciting new improvement at Reid Park Zoo: a carousel featuring hand-painted animals from around the world. The American-made carousel features representatives from 30 different species including an elephant, a lemur, a dolphin, and even a giant anteater. Each animal was painstakingly fabricated, and the carousel is topped by a safari-themed thatched roof.



"This carousel is a tremendous gift made possible by the Reid Park Zoological Society," says Zoo Administrator Jason Jacobs, "It's going to provide an exciting new focal point for guests entering the Zoo, and a fun new activity for families to enjoy together. As a bonus, it'll finally allow us to say 'yes' when someone asks if they can ride an elephant." All proceeds from the carousel will directly benefit future Zoo improvements.

Reid Park Zoological Society organized the fundraising campaign to help bring the carousel to Tucson. Many individual animals have been sponsored, but there are several species still available, including a gibbon, a sea turtle, and a red panda. "Sponsoring a carousel animal is such a fun way to show your support for the Zoo," says Nancy Schlegel, Executive Director of the Reid Park Zoological Society, "Imagine being able to bring your children or grandchildren to the Zoo to ride 'their' rhinoceros."

The carousel will operate daily and costs \$3 for each rider; guardians may stand on the carousel alongside children at no charge.

Carousel information: <http://bit.ly/1VOHx3z>

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Baby Tapir Gets a Name

The votes are in, and the tapir calf at Reid Park Zoo is now named Toliver. The Zoo received thousands of online votes in the naming contest, so it will be sending a \$3,000 donation to help protect tapirs in the wild. 1,818 people voted to name the tapir Toliver, while 1,641 chose the name Titus.

See photos of Toliver on Reid Park Zoo's Flickr page: <http://bit.ly/1QPrGA4>



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Be Safe this Halloween!

Halloween is this weekend! For many people, autumn events like Halloween and Harvest Day are fun times to dress up in costumes, go trick-or-treating, attend parties, and eat yummy treats. These events are also opportunities to provide nutritious snacks, get physical activity, and focus on safety. Check out these tips to help make the festivities fun and safe for trick-or-treaters and party guests!

- Swords, knives, and similar costume accessories should be short, soft, and flexible.
- Avoid trick-or-treating alone. Walk in groups or with a trusted adult.
- Fasten reflective tape to costumes and bags to help drivers see you.
- Examine all treats for choking hazards and tampering before eating them.
- Limit the amount of treats you eat.
- Hold a flashlight while trick-or-treating to help you see and others see you. Always WALK and don't run from house to house.
- Always test make-up in a small area first. Remove it before bedtime to prevent possible skin and eye irritation.
- Look both ways before crossing the street. Use established crosswalks wherever possible.
- Lower your risk for serious eye injury by not wearing decorative contact lenses.
- Only walk on sidewalks whenever possible, or on the far edge of the road facing traffic to stay safe.
- Wear well-fitting masks, costumes, and shoes to avoid blocked vision, trips, and falls.
- Eat only factory-wrapped treats. Avoid eating homemade treats made by strangers.
- Enter homes only if you're with a trusted adult. Only visit well-lit houses. Don't stop at dark houses.



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Volunteers Needed for Fall Cyclovia Next Month

Tucson's biggest block party returns for its fall event on Sunday, Nov. 1, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. More than 30,000 Tucsonans are expected to take part in Cyclovia Tucson, a special day for bicycling and playing on 5 miles of car-free streets. This year's event will take place in the midtown area, featuring 4th Avenue and Fontana Bike Boulevard, and volunteers are needed at the intersections. Several shifts are available (morning and afternoon) to help direct vehicular traffic away from the party areas and guide residents to the fun. Cyclovia is a chance for people to enjoy the outdoors from outside of a vehicle. You can see the Cyclovia route map, sign up for a volunteer shift, and learn more at the links below.



Cyclovia Tucson: <http://bit.ly/QllgsZ>

Cyclovia Tucson volunteer page: <http://bit.ly/1PDjzJM>

Watershed Management Tour

Free Tour for You at Watershed Management Group's Living Lab—Come See Rainwater on Tap! On Saturday, November 14, 8:00 – 9:15 a.m. WMG's Living Lab and Learning Center, 1137 N Dodge Blvd. WMG is offering free tours at the Living Lab and Learning Center in central Tucson. And this month we have something special for you—our Living Lab is now 100% rainwater supported! We use only the rain that falls on site for our indoor and outdoor needs. Come see how we do it! Satisfy your curiosity about what's new at the Living Lab. Or if you've never been here, see what all the hype is about. You'll overflow with project ideas for your home when you see all the systems in action here, including active and passive rainwater-harvesting features, solar power, composting toilets, and greywater systems that support food production in our food forest. Register online for the November tour.

Tucson Police Offer Teens Valuable Driving Lessons

The Safe Teen Accident Reduction Training (START) program aims to teach teenage drivers how to avoid traffic collisions and stay safe behind the wheel. The collaborative effort between the Tucson Police Department and the nonprofit Tucson Police Foundation is behind-the-wheel training with police driving instructors showing new licensees how to drive, complete with driving on a wet road while maneuvering through cones and skidding at speeds of up to 45 miles per hour on the Tucson Police Academy track at the Southern Arizona Law Enforcement Training Center, 10001 S. Wilmot Road. A \$50 donation is suggested to participate, but it is not required. The next sessions are scheduled for Nov. 8, Dec. 5, and Dec. 19. Follow the links below for more information.

Tucson Police Foundation's START program: <http://bit.ly/1P1b5uo>

Final Public Forum Set for January 8th Memorial

One more public forum is scheduled for community input into the proposed January 8th Memorial design concept at El Presidio Park downtown. Los Angeles-based Chee Salette Architecture Office (CSAO) was chosen to design a master plan for the park and memorial. A final design could be completed in January, followed by a development and construction stage that could start next year. The

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public meeting is scheduled for Nov. 7 at 9:30 a.m. at Tucson Fire Department Headquarters (300 S. Central Place). The project would be funded through Pima County bonds, if voters approve a \$98.6 million tourism promotion bond question as part of an \$815 million bond package in November. The Jan. 8 project would receive \$4 million in bond funding if voters approve the ballot question, while another \$21 million would fund the historic old Pima County Courthouse as part of the planned site. The Jan. 8, 2011 mass shooting in Tucson killed six people and wounded 13 others, including then-Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords, at a northwest-side shopping center where Giffords was meeting with constituents.

Get a Grip on Graffiti

In an ongoing effort to combat the public nuisance of graffiti in our city and neighborhoods, TEP has launched a tool to assist our customers in reporting graffiti on TEP equipment throughout our service territory. At tep.com, a link has been provided to allow customers to report graffiti in an efficient way by providing the location of the graffiti, nearest cross streets and a picture (if available) of the tagged equipment. Providing a picture greatly enhances TEP's ability to respond quickly with the appropriate materials for safe and proper removal of the graffiti. Once a notice is received, the information goes directly to TEP staff dedicated to abating graffiti.



Graffiti Protective Coatings and the City of Tucson also have a smartphone application for reporting graffiti. MyTucson is a free download on the iOS App Store and Google Play for Android. You can also report graffiti by emailing graffiti@tucsonaz.gov, or calling (520) 792-2489 and choosing option 1.

Download MyTucson for iOS: <http://bit.ly/1bjtIJr>

Download MyTucson for Android: <http://bit.ly/1dCj2jp>

Congratulations and Thank You!

City Parks and Recreation Director Elected to National Group

Tucson Parks and Recreation Director Fred Gray is now an elected member of the American Academy for Park and Recreation Administration. Gray was inducted recently at the group's annual meeting at the National Recreation and Park Association Congress. The academy is a group of distinguished practitioners and educators who are leaders in the field of park and recreation. The group was formed to advance knowledge related to the administration of recreation and parks; encourage scholarly efforts by both practitioners and educators to enhance the practice of park and recreation administration; promote broader public understanding of the



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importance of parks and recreation for the public good; conduct research; and publish scholarly papers and/or sponsor seminars related to the advancement of park and recreation administration.

390th Memorial Museum Hanger Party

On Saturday, October 17, I had the privilege of attending the 390th Memorial Museum Hangar Party and Veterans Reunion held at the museum, located at 6000 East Valencia Road. This year event honored those veterans who served in WWII. I want to thank the organizers of the event and congratulate them on a job well done.

For more information about the museum, go online to www.390th.org.

7th Corps Veteran Volunteers

I want to thank Colonel Hai Nguyen, the Commanding Officer and 7th Corps Veteran Volunteers for achieving their first anniversary as an Honor Guard. I had the privilege of attending their event on Saturday, October 17, and to say a few words to the guard and to thank them for their service to our country.

For more information, go online to 7cvv.org.

2015 Fellowship Barbecue

The Grace Temple Baptist Church, located at 1020 E. 31st Street, held their 2015 Fellowship Barbecue on October 10. I was honored to be one of the judges for their annual barbecue contest and proud to announce the winners: 3rd Place was Daryl McKinney, 2nd Place Michael Davis and 1st Place was Clayton Moore. Congratulations to you all and those who took part. And again congratulations to James Christopher and Pastor Grady Scott for another successful Fellowship event.



Vamos a Tucson Baseball Fiesta

The fifth annual Vamos a Tucson Baseball Fiesta took place October 1 through 4 at Hi Corbett Field with teams for the Mexican Pacific League and the future stars for the Cincinnati Reds and Arizona Diamondbacks. I want to congratulate Mike Feder, Felipe Garcia with Visit Tucson, City of Tucson Parks and Recreation Department and the U of A Baseball program for the success of this year's baseball fiesta.



Congratulations and Thank You!

Pueblo High School Hall of Fame

Congratulations to Raul Aguirre, John Arnold, Richard Carranza, Dan Eckstrom, Isabel Garcia, Carlos Gonzales, John Hodggers, Lorraine Lee, Eduardo Nunez, Cecilia Rosales and Macario Saldate for their induction into the Pueblo High Warrior Foundation Hall of Fame Inductees.



Sunnyside High School Hall of Fame

Congratulations to Evelyn Craft, Buck Crouch, Debbie Edwards, Bobby Jaramillo, Francisco "Frank" Morales, Harry Parks and Mary Jane Santos for their induction into the Sunnyside School District Hall of Fame.

Sunnyside High School
Sunnyside Unified School District: A Proud Learning Community



Condolences

Our community lost three great people.

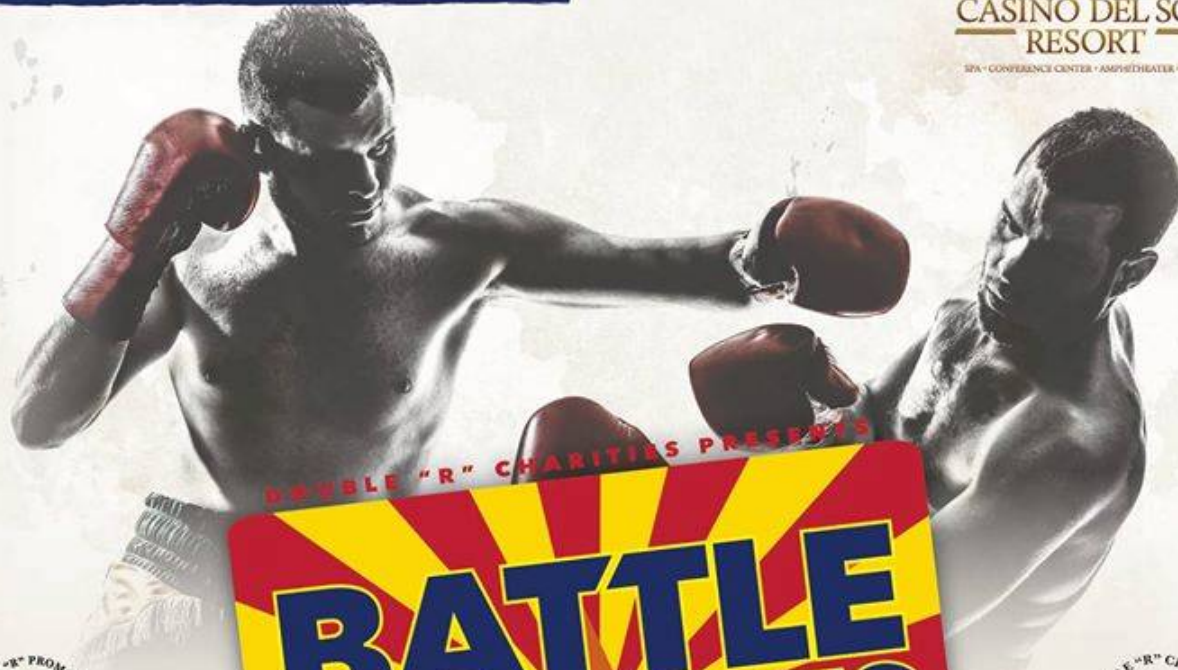
Albert Elias, father of Assistant City Manager Albert Elias and Supervisor Richard Elias passed away. He owned Old Pueblo Printers and served on many committees and commissions for our City. His leadership, compassion and commitment will be missed. Visitation is from 6 to 8 p.m. Oct. 23 at St. Augustine Cathedral, 192 S. Stone Ave. The rosary will be said at 7 p.m. The funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Oct. 24.

Andy Herraras, who was a veteran of the Korean War, survivor of the Frozen Chosin, E Company USMC, retired Engineer from the Tucson Fire Department, 3rd generation of Pueblo Plastering, member of Latin American Men's Club, Knights of Columbus Council 1200, Marine Corps League, Mexican American Golf Assoc. and long-time volunteer for the VA Hospital.

Longtime community advocate and Vietnam Era Army veteran Jesus Zapata passed away, as well as Johnny Chavez.

My condolences, as well as those of my staff, go out to their families.

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Tucson Police Department or Tucson Fire Department
DIAL 911

Permits

Planning and Development Services Department
791-5550

Housing Assistance

City of Tucson Community Services Department
791-4739

Code Enforcement & Graffiti Removal

792-CITY (2489)

Trash Pick Up & Environmental Services Abandoned Shopping Carts

City of Tucson Environmental Services Department
791-3171

Street Maintenance and Potholes

Tucson Department of Transportation
791-3154

Tucson Water Department

Billing - 791-3242
Public Information - 791-4331

ParkWise

791-5071

Loose or Dead Animals

Pima Animal Care Center
724-5900



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